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NO1-19/2342

November 10, 2005

BY HAND

Mail Stop 3-2 Office of International Corporate Finance Division of Corporation Finance U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission 100 F Street NE Washington, DC 20549

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Re: Disclosure materials provided by OJSC North-West-Telecom- (File No. 82-5197) pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act")

Ladies and Gentlemen:

OJSC North-West Telecom (the "Company"), a foreign private issuer claiming exemption pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Exchange Act (the "Rule"), submits herewith information pursuant to subparagraph (b)(1)(iii) of the Rule.

Annex A, attached hereto, contains a list of documents and communications described in (A), (B) and (C) of subparagraph (b)(1)(i) of the Rule that the Company has made public, distributed or filed between October 01, 2005 and October 31, 2005. Annex B, attached hereto, contains a complete set of English language translations, summaries or brief descriptions of these documents and communications.

This information is being furnished under paragraph (1) of the Rule, with the understanding that such information and documents will not be deemed "filed" with the Commission or otherwise subject to the liabilities of Section 18 of the Exchange Act, and that neither this letter nor the furnishing of such documents and information shall constitute an admission for any purpose that the Company is subject to the Exchange Act.

Please contact the undersigned by calling collect at +7 (812) 719-92-31 with any questions or comments regarding this letter. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter and the enclosures by date stamping the enclosed duplicate of this letter and returning it to us in the enclosed, selfaddressed envelope."

Very truly yours,

Vladislav Y. Smyslov

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Enclosures

List of the Documents and Communications That the Company Has Made Public, Distributed or Filed since October 01, 2005, until October 31, 2005 (indexed to the list of required disclosures in Annex A)

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| A. Securities Issuance Documents | | | |
| Registered securities prospectus (" Prospectus ") (if the securities are placed through an open subscription or a closed subscription to more than 500 purchasers) | Must be published on the issuer's website or any other website accessible to the general public ("Authorized Website") within 3 days after registration of the Prospectus, and upon request the issuer must provide any interested party the address(es) of the website(s) where the information is published Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Company Law, ¹ Article 92.1 Securities Law, ² Articles 19.2 and 23 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, ³ Sections 1.6, 1.8, 1.9, 2.4.3 and 4.1 | Not applicable |
| Registered decision on issuance of the issuer's securities | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8 and 1.9 | Not applicable |

¹ Federal Law No. 208-FZ, dated December 26, 1995, "On Stock Companies."

² Federal Law No. 39-FZ, dated April 22, 1996, "On the Securities Market."

³ Regulation "On Disclosure of Information by Issuers of Securities," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market No. 03-32/ps, dated July 2, 2003.

| S. Notice concerning the terminatic securities issuance registration, a procedure for withdrawing such securities from circulation and returning funds to subscribers | 4. Registered report on the results of the issuance of the issuer's securities | 3. Registered amendments to the registered Prospectus and/or decision on issuance of the issuer's securities | Document o |
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| Notice concerning the termination of a securities issuance registration, and the procedure for withdrawing such securities from circulation and returning funds to subscribers | n the results of the er's securities | nents to the us and/or decision issuer's securities | Document or Information |
| Must be sent to the owners and nominal holders of the issuer's securities not later than 2 months after receipt of the written notification regarding termination of registration of the securities issue Must be published in mass media available to the majority of the securities' owners, and in the Supplement to the Journal of the Federal Service for the Financial | Must be published on an Authorized Website within 3 days after registration of the report (if the securities issuance requires registration of a Prospectus) Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Regulation No. 36, ⁴ Sections 5.1 and 5.3 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9 and 2.6.2 | Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8 and 1.9 | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | Disclosed Document or Information |

⁴ Regulation "On the Procedure for Return to the Securities' Owners of Funds (Other Property) Received by the Issuer as Payment for the Securities the Issue of which has been Declared Invalid or Uncompleted," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market, No. 36, dated September 8, 1998.

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| B. Reporting During a Securities Issuance that Requires Registration of a Prospectus | nce that Requires Registration of a | | |
| Information regarding the adoption by the issuer of a decision to place (reshenie o razmeshenii) securities | Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after preparation of the minutes of the meeting of the issuer's governing body which adopted such decision: (i) websites of authorized information agencies ⁵ ("Agency Websites") within one day, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request If the Company is also required to disclose information in the form of "key-events," such information should be disclosed as a "key-event" as set forth in item 21 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1 and 2.2 | Not applicable |

⁵ Under Article 1.4 of Regulation No. 03-32/ps, the information must be published in the on-line news bulletins maintained by each of the information agencies authorized by the Federal Service for the Financial Markets of Russia ("FSFM") to act as a conduit for the public disclosure of information to the securities markets. If the issuer's securities are traded on Russian stock exchanges, such publication must occur before 10 a.m., and prior to such publication the issuer must notify such stock exchanges of the information and the issuer's intent to disclose it.

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| Information regarding the registration of the issue of the issuer's securities and regarding the procedure for disclosure of the contents of the Prospectus | | | Information regarding approval of the decision on issuance (reshenie o vipuske) of the issuer's securities | Document or Information |
| Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after preparation of the minutes of the meeting of the issuer's governing body which adopted such decision: (i) websites of authorized information agencies ("Agency Websites") within one day. (ii) an Authorized Website | If the Company is also required to disclose information in the form of "key-events," such information should be disclosed as a "key-event" as set forth in item 21 | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after preparation of the minutes of the meeting of the issuer's governing body which adopted such decision: (i) websites of authorized information agencies ("Agency Websites") within one day, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Articles 19.2 and 23 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1 and 2.3 | | | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1 and 2.3 | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Not applicable | | | Not applicable | Disclosed Document or Information |

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| | within 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days | | |
| | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | | |
| | If the Company is also required to disclose information in the form of "key-events," such information should be disclosed as a "key-event" as set forth in item 21 | | |
| Date of commencement of the securities' placement, if such date was not disclosed as set forth in item 8 | Must be published in each of the following: (i) Agency Websites within 5 days before the placement commencement date and (ii) an Authorized Website within 4 days before the placement commencement date | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.2 | Not applicable |
| | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | | |
| Change of the date of commencement of the securities' placement | Must be published in each of the following: (i) Agency Websites within one day before the new placement commencement date, and (ii) an Authorized Website within one day | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and | Not applicable |

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| Information about suspension of placement of securities | Securities' placement price (procedure for its determination), if such information was not disclosed as set forth in items 8 or 9 | Document or Information |
| Must be published in each of the following within the specified time (a) preparation of the minutes of the meeting of the issuer's governing body which adopted the decision on amending the decision on issuance and/or the Prospectus or (b) receipt by the issuer of a written request (order) from the competent regulatory authority to suspend the placement: (i) Agency Websites within one day, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days | before the new placement commencement date Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request Must be published on Agency Websites and an Authorized Website before placement of securities Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.5 | 2.5.3 Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.4 | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Disclosed Document or Information |

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| | interested persons at any time upon request | | |
| Information about recommencement of placement of securities, which was suspended | Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after (a) registration of amendments to the decision on issuance and/or the Prospectus or (b) refusal to register amendments to the decision on issuance and/or the Prospectus by the authorities or (c) receipt by the issuer of the written notification (order) from the competent regulatory authority to terminate the suspension of the securities placement: (i) Agency Websites within 3 days, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.6 | Not applicable |
| Information about completion of placement of securities | Must be published in each of the following within the specified time before (a) expiration of the placement period set forth by the registered decision on issuance of the securities or (b) placement of the last security: (i) | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.7, 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.7 | Not applicable |

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| Annual Report | C. Periodic and Current Reporting | Information about registration of the report on the results of issuance of the issuer's securities | | Document or Information |
| Must be published annually in mass media available for general information | | Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after the event has occurred: (i) Agency Websites within one day, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical available to the majority of the shareholders, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Agency Websites at least one day, (ii) an Authorized Website at least 3 days and (iii) a periodical distributed in Russia with circulation of at least 10,000 copies (in the case of an open subscription) and at least 1000 in other cases, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, at least 5 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Civil Code, Article 97(1) | | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.6 | | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Not applicable | | Not applicable | | Disclosed Document or Information |

| Source(s) of Requirement Disclosed Document or Information | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 17/ps, ⁶ Section 3.2 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 9,8 Section 1 | Civil Code, Article 97.1; Law on Accounting, Article 16 Order of Ministry of Finance No. 101, dated November 28, 1996 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 19.2 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 2.1.1, 2.5.1 and 2.5.8 Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements of OJSC NWT for the 6 month that expired on 30 th June 2005 Russian Accounting Statements for the 3st Q 2005 | |
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| When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Company Law Regulation No. | Must be published in mass media ⁷ Company Law, Regulation No. | Must be published not later than June 1 Of each year in mass media available to Accounting, Accounti | blished on an Authorized ithin 5 days after the deadline ach statements with the tax ade available to any bersons at any time upon | 1 CO -1-: 1 |
| Document or Information | | Information regarding the issuer's ratio of net assets to charter capital | Audited annual financial statements Must prepared in accordance with Russian of eac statutory accounting principles all shall | Financial statements (including IFRS and/or US GAAP financial statements, if any, in Russian) that were prepared after filing a Prospectus but before the first quarterly report due after registration of the Prospectus interested property interested property interested property in the prospectus interested property in the property in | |

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⁶ Regulation "On Additional Requirements for the Preparation, Convocation and Holding of a Shareholders' Meeting," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market No. 17/ps, dated May 31, 2002.

⁷ Amendments to the Company Law of August 2001 deleted the words "annually" and "available to all shareholders". Previous version of Article 92.1 of the Company Law required that the information be published *annually* in the mass media *available to all shareholders*.

⁸ Regulation "On Additional Information that an Open Stock Company must Publish in the Mass Media," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission for Securities and Capital Market under the Government of the Russian Federation, No. 9, dated May 8, 1996.

⁹ Federal Law No. 129-FZ, dated November 21, 1996, "On Accounting."

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| Information that may have significant impact on the value of the issuer's securities that are publicly issued | Information that may have significant impact on the value of the issuer's securities (if the issuer has a registered Prospectus) | Information on material events affecting the Company's business ("key-events") (if the issuer has a registered Prospectus) | Document or Information |
| Must be published on Agency Websites before disclosure of such information by other means | Must be published after the relevant event has occurred in each of the following: (i) Agency Websites within one day and (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Website not later than 45 days after the end of the quarter Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request Must be published in each of the following within the specified time after the event has occurred: (i) Agency Websites within one day, (ii) an Authorized Website within 3 days and (iii) a periodical available to the majority of the issuer's shareholders, as well as in the FSFM Supplement, within 5 days Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, | Company Law, Article 92.1; Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9, 1.14 and 1.15 Section 1.14 of Regulation No. 03- 32/ps sets forth a non-exhaustive list of kinds of information that may have significant impact on the value of the Company's securities | Securities Law, Article 30 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9 and 5.7 Company Law, Article 92.1 Securities Law, Article 30 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Sections 1.8, 1.9 and 6.3 Section 6.2 of Regulation No. 03-32/ps identifies the key-events | Source(s) of Requirement |
| See item 22 | Notifications of October 10, 2005, October 28, 2005 | Key-event of October 5, 2005 (two), of October 12, 2005 | Disclosed Document or Information |

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| and/or circulated | Must be made available to any interested persons at any time upon request | Sections 1.8, 1.9 and 1.13 | |
| D. Corporate Organization | | | |
| Information about the issuer included in the unified state register of legal entities, save for information that cannot be disclosed pursuant to the Law on Registration of Legal Entities | Must be made available by the state registration authority to any interested person at any time upon request | Law on Registration of Legal Entities, ¹⁰ Articles 5, 6 and 7 | Not applicable |
| Charter, including all changes, amendments and new versions thereof | Must be filed with and registered by the state registration authorities, who must make them available to any interested person at any time upon request. Charter must be posted on the issuer's own website, if the issuer has a registered Prospectus. Charter amendments must be posted on the issuer's own website, within 3 days after the issuer publishes information about the decision of a General Meeting of Shareholders ("GMS") approving the amendments on an Authorized Website | Company Law, Articles 13 and 14 Law on Registration of Legal Entities, Articles 5, 6 and 7 Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Section 1.16 | Not applicable |
| Records that must be retained by the issuer (see Exhibit 1 to Annex A) | Must be made available to shareholders at any time within 7 days after request | Company Law, Articles 89 and 91 | Not applicable |

¹⁰ Federal Law No. 129-FZ, dated August 8, 2001, "On State Registration of Legal Entities."

| 30. Information of | for maintenance of the iss shareholders register, and commencement of the prochange the Registrar | 29. Notice concerning termination of the issuer's agreement with the Registrar | | E. Informair regis regis | Inter gove E. Informair regis regis issue |
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| Information on change of the Registrar | for maintenance of the issuer's shareholders register, and commencement of the procedure to change the Registrar | Notice concerning termination of the | Information regarding the registrar maintaining the issuer's shareholders register (the "Registrar") Rotice concerning termination of the issuer's agreement with the Registrar | Company's Registrar; Shareholders Register Information mation regarding the registrar ntaining the issuer's shareholders ster (the "Registrar") The concerning termination of the concern | Internal regulations of the issuer's governing bodies E. Company's Registrar; Shareholders R Information regarding the registrar maintaining the issuer's shareholders register (the "Registrar") Notice concerning termination of the issuer's agreement with the Registrar |
| Must be published in mass media or given in writing to all owners of the issuer's securities | and/or must be given in writing to registered shareholders, not later than 25 days prior to termination of the agreement | Must be published in mass media with a | Must be published in mass media 11 Must be published in mass media with a | Register Information Must be published in mass media 11 Must be published in mass media with a | Must be published on an Authorized Website, if the issuer has a registered Prospectus Register Information Must be published in mass media 11 Must be published in mass media • 11 |
| Securities Law, Article 8 | Regulation No. 21, ¹² Sections 9 and 10 | Company Law, Article 92.1 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 9, Section 1 Company Law, Article 92.1 | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 9, Section 1 Company Law, Article 92.1 | Regulation No. 03-32/ps, Section 1.16 Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 9, Section 1 Company Law, Article 92.1 |
| Not applicable | пот аррисавіе | NT.4 | Consistent with customary Russ practice this information is disclosed by the Company in its Quarterly Reports of the Issuer (Section 8.6) | Consistent with customary Russi practice this information is disclosed by the Company in its Quarterly Reports of the Issuer (Section 8.6) | Not applicable Consistent with customary Russian practice this information is disclosed by the Company in its Quarterly Reports of the Issuer (Section 8.6) |

¹¹ See footnote to item 17.

¹² Regulation "On the Procedure for Transfer of Information and Documents that Constitute the Register of Owners of Registered Securities," approved by Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market, No. 21, dated June 24, 1997.

| | Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| | F. Company's Shareholders and Affiliates | S | | |
| | Number of the issuer's shareholders | Must be published in mass media ¹³ | Company Law, Article 92.1 Regulation No. 9, Section 1 | Consistent with customary Russian practice this information is disclosed by the Company in its Quarterly Reports of the Issuer (Section 6.1) |
| - 1 | Information on the acquisition of all of the issuer's shares by one person | Must be published ¹⁴ | Civil Code, Article 98.6 | Not applicable |
| <u></u> | Lists of the issuer's affiliated persons | Must be filed quarterly with the FSFM department responsible for registration of the issuer's securities' issuances within 45 days after the end of the quarter, for disclosure on the FSFM website Must be published by the issuer on its own website, if its securities are listed on a Russian stock exchange | Company Law, Articles 92.1 and 93.4 Regulation No. 03-19/ps, ¹⁵ Sections 3 and 5 | Amendments to List of Affiliated Persons for the 4 nd Q 2005 |

¹³ See footnote to item 17.

¹⁴ The Civil Code does not contain any guidance on when or where this information must be published

¹⁵ Regulation "On Disclosure of Information on Affiliated Persons of an Open Stock Company," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market No. 03-19/ps, dated April 1, 2003.

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| Notice of an upcoming GMS | Extract from the list of persons entitled to participate in the GMS containing information about a particular person, or a confirmation that such person is not included in the list | List of persons entitled to participate in the GMS | G. General Meetings of Shareholders | Notice concerning the (i) acquisition by the Company of twenty percent (20%) or more of any class of securities of any issuer; or (ii) increase or decrease in the Company's holding of such securities by an increment of five percent (5%) to a level that is greater than twenty percent (20%) | Document or Information |
| Must be sent not later than 20 days (or | Must be provided to any interested person within 3 days after request | Must be provided upon request to persons included in such list and holding at least one percent (1%) of the shares entitled to vote in the GMS | | Must be filed with the FSFM (or an agency designated by the FSFM) within 5 days after each such acquisition or qualifying increase or decrease Information regarding acquisition by the Company of more than 20% of voting shares of another stock company (other than in connection with the formation of a stock company) and any increase of such holdings to an amount divisible by five percent (5%) must be published in the FSFM Supplement within a month after the transaction | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Company Law, Article 52 (sections 1, | Company Law, Article 51.4 | Company Law, Article 51.4 | | Securities Law, Article 30 Company Law, Articles 6(4) and 92.1 Regulation No. 10,16 Section 1 | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Not applicable | Not applicable | Not applicable | | Consistent with customary Russian practice this information is disclosed by the Company in the form of key-events or information that may have significant impact on the value of the issuer's securities | Disclosed Document or Information |

¹⁶ Regulation "On the Procedure for Publication of Information on Acquisition by a Stock Company of more than 20% of Voting Shares of another Stock Company," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission for Securities and Capital Market under the Government of the Russian Federation, No. 10, dated May 14, 1996.

| | Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| | | in certain cases provided by the Company Law not later than 30 or 50 days) prior to the date of the meeting to each person included in the list of persons entitled to participate in the GMS, or, if provided by the Charter, published in mass media available to all shareholders and as specified in the issuer's charter | 2 and 4) | |
| <u>&</u> | Information in connection with preparation for an upcoming GMS | Must be made available to the shareholders at least 20 days (or 30 days if the agenda contemplates a vote on the issuer's reorganization) prior to the GMS | Company Law, Article 52.3 Regulation No. 17/ps, Sections 3.2, 3.3, 3.4 and 3.5 Charter, Article 12.13 specifies the kinds of information that must be made available to the shareholders prior to the GMS | Not applicable |
| 6 | Voting ballots for an upcoming GMS | Must be sent not later than 20 days prior to the date of the GMS to each person indicated in the list of persons entitled to participate in the GMS; if the issuer has more than 500,000 shareholders, the issuer's Charter may provide that the forms of the voting ballots should be published in mass media available to all shareholders that is specified in the Charter | Company Law, Article 60 | Not applicable |
| 0. | Decisions adopted at the GMS and voting results | Must be announced at the GMS or a report on voting results must be communicated not later than 10 days | Company Law, Article 62(4) | Not applicable |

| Document or Information | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed | Source(s) of Requirement | Disclosed Document or Information |
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| Notice to shareholders of their right to require the issuer to redeem their shares | Must include information concerning redemption rights in the notice of an upcoming GMS if a vote at the GMS may give rise to them | Company Law, Article 76 (Sections 1 and 2) | Not applicable |
| Notice concerning the exercise of preemptive rights in connection with a new issuance of shares (or securities convertible into shares) to be placed by subscription | Must be sent to persons having preemptive rights, after the new issuance of shares (or securities convertible into shares) has been registered but prior to commencement of the placement | Company Law, Article 41.1 Regulation No. 03-30/ps, ¹⁷ Section 6.4.9 | Not applicable |
| Results of the exercise of preemptive rights in connection with a new issuance of shares (or securities convertible into shares) to be placed by subscription | Must be disclosed in accordance with the procedure set forth by the registered decision on issuance of the securities | Regulation No. 03-30/ps, Sections 6.2.30 and 6.4.9 | Not applicable |
| J. Stock Exchange Requirements | | | |
| Information that is required to be submitted to RTS Stock Exchange ("RTS") to maintain the Company's securities listing | RTS must disclose information received from the issuer to third parties by posting information on the RTS website and provide information to interested persons upon requests. Other Stock Exchanges (MICEX, St. Petersburg Stock Exchange) may publicly disclose information submitted | RTS Listing Regulation, ¹⁸ Sections 11.2, 14.2, 14.3 and Exhibit 2 Section 1.1 of Exhibit 2 lists information that must be submitted to RTS to maintain the Company's securities listing | Quarterly Report of the OJSC NWT on Observance of the Corparate Conduct Standards for the 3 st quarter of 2005 |

¹⁷ "Standards of Emission of Securities and Registration of Prospectuses of Securities," approved by the Resolution of the Federal Commission on the Securities Market No. 03-30/ps, dated June 18, 2003.

¹⁸ Approved by RTS BOD Resolution No. 04-5-RDP-2402, dated February 24, 2004.

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| Information that the issuer has the practice of publicly disclosing | K. Other Information | | Document or Information |
| On its website, via press release or otherwise in accordance with its Regulation on Information Policy, dated 29 October 2004 | | to them by issuers at their own initiative | When/Where Required to be Made Public or Distributed |
| Regulation on Information Policy, dated 29 October 2004 (as posted on the issuer's website) | | | Source(s) of Requirement |
| Press-Releases material to an investment decision, dated October 03, 2005, October 06, 2005, October 10, 2005, October 12, 2005, October 28, 2005, October 31, 2005 | | | Disclosed Document or Information |



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As the result of monitoring current corporate events at OJSC North-West Telecom, the RID-Expert RA national corporate governance rating of the Company was confirmed on level A.

The Level A rating was assigned to OJSC NWT by RID-Expert RA consortium in January 2005. In accordance with the National corporate governance rating methodology, Level A is assigned to the companies if their corporate governance practice level is rated as rather high. Such a high level has been assigned to date to only 5 of the 151 companies participating in the RID-Expert RA National Corporate Governance Rating.

In particular, rating A means that the corporate governance practice of the company meets the requirements of Russian legislation; the company complies to a significant extent with the basic recommendations of the Corporate Conduct Code of the Federal Commission for the Securities Market; risks relating to the infringement of the shareholders' rights by the insufficiently efficient operation of the management bodies as well as by the information non-transparency of activity are insignificant.

In the experts' opinion, "compliance with the corporate governance principles is an integral component of the business activity and ethics of OJSC North-West Telecom and the increased obligations of the Company to the shareholders and investors are reflected in the effective corporate governance code of OJSC North-West Telecom".

For the current results of the National Corporate Governance Rating, visit the web-site of the agency: http://www.raexpert.ru/ratings/corporate/

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On October 5, 2005 joint-stock commercial bank Svyaz Bank performing the functions of the Payment Agent for the North-West Telecom bonds, series 02, paid in full the 8th coupon income on the 2nd bonds issue of OJSC North-West Telecom. The list of persons entitled to the coupon income on the bonds was prepared as of September 28, 2005. The 8th coupon rate was 13.2% per annum and the amount of RUR 32.91 was due on each bond. The total amount allocated for paying the 8th coupon was RUR 49.365 million. So far, the total amount of interest paid on coupons of the NWT bonds, issue 2, is RUR 409.86 million. The obligations on the bonds of issue 2 were fulfilled completely.

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The Standard & Poor's Corporate Governance Rating Service raised the corporate governance score (CGS) of OJSC North-West Telecom from 5.0 to 5.4, Russian scale. Simultaneously, the agency confirmed the Company's rating of CGS-5, international scale.

Standard & Poor's

According to Standard & Poor's, "the increase in the CGS of OJSC NWT reflects an improvement in the time and quality of the company reporting in the IAS format, active operation of the Board of Directors and its four committees, two of which are independent, as well as favorable changes in the governmental regulation of the industry".

■ Revision

In the opinion of Standard & Poor's experts, the score was increased based on the following favorable factors of the NWT corporate governance practice:

Important role of independent directors in the Board of Directors. These directors make up the Audit Committee and account for a majority in the Appointments and Remunerations Committee. The experts note positive changes in the working procedures of the Board of Directors and the transformation of the Board of Directors committees into real decision-making bodies.

Better reporting in the IAS format. The 2004 reports were published in late June, not in mid-August or September as in the past years. Furthermore, NWT brought the accounting of pension liabilities in full compliance with the IAS. As the result, the company obtained for the first time the auditor's report without a qualification on this point. The remaining defects relating to fixed assets accounting in the past periods are to be corrected in the IAS reports as early as this year.

Lower risks relating to adverse regulation aspects. The Government abolished with effect from 2005 the obligation of fixed-communications operators to provide services for the underprivileged categories of subscribers at reduced prices. Other regulation initiatives, including the recently started "versatile service" program and the expected liberalization of the long-distance communications market create opportunities for a more transparent social policy and a greater competition in the telecommunications industry.

The procedures for preparing and holding shareholders' meetings on the whole meet the procedures of leading international companies with a high corporate governance level.

NWT is transparent and ready for a dialogue with investors in accordance with its charter documents and bylaws. This approach is stated in the Corporate Governance Code (approved by the Board of Directors on September 22, 2004) and in the Capitalization Increase Concept (approved by the Board of Directors on August 18, 2005). NWT provides a special distribution of the company news and organizes special meetings with analysts.

Thus, in the opinion of the Standard & Poor's experts, the level of the NWT corporate governance practice is one of the highest among all Russian fixed-communications operators: no Russian interregional communications company has been assigned a higher CGS to date. The official rating published by the agency confirmed the recently published results of a study according to which NWT occupied the 7th place by information transparency among all Russian public companies.

For a full report on the rating, visit the Standard & Poor's web-site: http://www.standardandpoors.ru/page.php?path=issuerr&id=54 or the NWT web-site:

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The period for fulfilling the offer for the second issue of OJSC North-West Telecom bonds at the price of 100% of the par value expired on October 12, 2005.

The bondholders could present the bonds for redemption from September 22 till October 5, 2005 inclusive. The period for fulfilling the offer was October 5 till October 12, 2005 inclusive, depending on the date the bonds were presented for redemption.

4 investors who used the entitlement to the offer presented for redemption 61,000 bonds, which accounted for about 4% of the total volume of issue. The value of bonds presented by their holders for redemption amounted to 61,052,930 rubles, including the accrued coupon income. All obligations provided by the OJSC NWT offer were fulfilled on time and completely.

The agent for the offer was CJSC "Russian Industrial Bank" and the offer support organizer was OJSC "KIT Finance Investment Bank".

The coupon rate for the coupon periods remaining till the redemption (9 to 16 inclusive) is 7.5% per annum.

"The insignificant volume of bonds presented for redemption and the complete fulfillment of the offer by OJSC "North-West Telecom" are another confirmation of the company's reputation as a reliable borrower and must further increase the investors' confidence in the company", said Venera Khusnutdinova, Chief Financial officer.

The OJSC NWT bonds, second issue are interest-bearing documentary bearer bonds with mandatory central storage, series 02. State registration No. 4-02-00119-A. The issue was placed at the Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange on October 8, 2003 and included 1.5 million four-year securities with the par value of 1 thousand rubles.

The first coupon rate of 14.2% per annum was determined by auction, the profit rate of bonds for the two-year offer was equal to 14.46% per annum.

16 quarterly bond coupons are payable.

Rates of coupons 1-4: 14.2% per annum (determined in the course of the auction held at the time of placement).

Rates of coupons 5-8: 13.2% per annum (determined in the course of the auction held at the time of placement).

Rates of coupons 9-16: 7.5% (set by the Board of Directors).

The bonds will be redeemed in three stages: on the 1092nd и 1274th day after the beginning of placement the Company will pay 30% of the par value to the bondholders and the remaining 40% of the par value will be paid to the holders on the 1456th day.

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North-West Telecom has summarized its performance for 9 months of 2005 according to the Russian Accounting Standards (RAS). Based on the results of its financial and operating activity, the sales proceeds amounted to RUR 14 792 199 thousand, including RUR 14 337 443 thousand from communications services. As compared with the same period of the past year, the total sales proceeds rise by 16.4% and those from communications services by 16.6%.

The income growth was mostly due to the rise in local communications tariffs and greater incomes from non-regulated services (Internet and other new communications services). The incomes from non-regulated communications services for 9 months of 2005 grew by 13.4% as against the same period of the past year.

The prime cost of the sold services was equal to RUR 11 268 967 thousand, including RUR 11 070 420 thousand from communications services.

The EBITDA for 9 months of 2005 amounted to RUR 4 300 235 thousand, 41.4% up as against the same period of 2004. The EBITDA margin was 29.1%.

As against the same period of the past year, the net profit of JSC North-West Telecom rise by 41.8 % to RUR 1 614 623 thousand.

The proceeds of OJSC NWT, not inclusive of the financial performance of the branches Lensvyaz and Svyaz of the Republic of Komi, for 9 months of 2005 grew by 44% as against 9 months of 2004.

The Balance Sheet and the Profits and Losses Report of OJSC North-West Telecom for 9 months of 2005 are available in the section "Economics and Finance" of the OJSC NWT corporate website.

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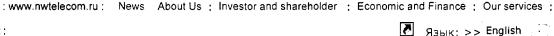
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North-West Telecom has summarized its performance for the 1st half of 2005 according to the International Accounting Standards (IAS). The interim consolidated financial statements are not audited and are presented in the volume of the balance sheet, profits and losses account and notes. These statements do not contain all of the disclosures required in accordance with the IAS, but their volume is sufficient to get an idea of the financial position and performance of the Company for 6 months of 2005.

It is for the first time that JSC North-West Telecom publishes its statements for 6 months according to the IAS. It has never produced such statements before.

These non-audited consolidated financial statements do not contain information on the comparable data provided in the financial statements for 6 months of 2004. For comparison purposes, JSC NWT provides financial data for the whole of 2004.

In accordance with the IAS, the incomes from the core business for the 1st half of 2005 exceeded RUR 9 912.9 million. (RUR 15 407.4 million for the year 2004).

The EBITDA for the 1st half of 2005 amounted to RUR 2 911 million (RUR 3 659 million for the year 2004). As the growth of revenue outpaced the expenses, the EBITDA profit rate reached 29.4% (total for year 2004 - 23,7%)

The net profit in accordance with the IAS for the 1st half of 2005 was equal to RUR 1 026 million.

According to the Chief financial officer, Venera Khusnutdinova, "the provision of interim statements for the half of the year according to the IAS is another step towards corporate transparency, provision of full information on the activity of the company to other shareholders and the investment community. OJSC NWT is committed to follow this practice in the effort to comply with international corporate governance standards".

The full text of the non-audited consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom for 6 months of 2005 according to the IAS is provided in the section "Economic and finance" of the corporate web-site www.nwtelecom.ru.

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Quarterly Report of the Closed Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom on Observance of the Corporate Conduct Standards (for Including and Maintaining Shares in the Partnership's Quoting Lists A) for the 3rd quarter of 2005

| No. | List of Corporate Conduct Standards | Observed (fully, partially, not observed) | Note |
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| | General Requirements for Issuers | | |
| 1. | The Issuer must form a board of directors | Fully observed | Articles of Association of OJSC NWT (version 03 - 05) (approved by the annual general meeting of the shareholders of 27 th June 2005, Minutes of the Meeting No. 01-05), article 13 |
| 2. | The issuer's board of directors shall have at least 3 members of the board of directors meeting the following requirements: • not to be officials or employees of the issuer (manager) at the moment of election and for 1 year preceding the election; • not to be officials of any other company, in which any of such company's officials is a member of the personnel and remunerations committee of the board of directors; • not to be spouses, parents, children, brothers or sisters of the issuer's (manager's) officials (an official of the issuer's managing organization); • not to be affiliated parties of the issuer, except for a member of the board of directors of the issuer; • not to be parties to any liabilities with the issuer, under which they may acquire property (receive moneys), the value of which is 10 or more percent of the total annual income of the said parties, apart from the compensation for participation in the activity of the company's board of directors; • not to be representatives of the State, i.e. persons who are representatives of the Russian Federation or entities of the Russian Federation in the board of directors of the joint-stock companies, in respect of which a decision has been taken to exercise the special right ("golden share") or persons elected to the board of directors from among the candidates proposed by the Russian Federation, or an entity of the Russian Federation, or an entity of the Russian Federation or of the municipal entity of the Russian Federation or of the municipal entity of the Russian Federation or of the municipal entity respectively | Fully observed | Corporate Governance Code of Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom (version 01-04) (approved by the decision of the Board of Directors. Minutes of the Meeting of 22 nd September 2004. №33-04). Clause e), Article "Board of Directors". Independent directors: 1. Dmitry Georgiyevich Yefimov 2. Alexandr Vyacheslavovich Ikonnikov Alexandr Nikolayevich Kiselyov 4. Ivan Ivanovich Rodionov 5. Alexandr Alexandrovich Gogol 6.Nikolay Moiseyevich Popov 7. Dmitry Vladimirovich Levkovsky |

| 3. | 1) A Committee shall be formed in the issuer's board of directors, the exclusive functions of which shall be the assessment of candidates to the position of joint-stock company's auditors, assessment of auditor's report, assessment of the efficiency of issuer's internal control procedures and preparation of proposals on their improvement (audit committee). The Committee shall be headed by a director meeting the requirements of clause 2 of this Appendix. | Fully observed | The Audit Committee has been formed by the decision of the Board of Directors dated 22.07.05 (minutes of the meeting No. 19-01/19(05)). Provisions on the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of the Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom (version 01-04) (approved by the Decision of the Board of Directors, Minutes of the Meeting dated 23 August 2004 № 29-04). Article 2. "Purpose of Creating and Terms of Reference of the Committee". |
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| | 2) The Audit Committee shall consist only of the members of the board of directors meeting the requirements of clause 2 of this Appendix, and if this is impossible for objective reasons, it shall consist only of the members of the board of directors meeting the requirements of clause 2 of this Appendix and members of the board of directors who are not the one-person executive body and/or the members of the collective executive body of the issuer. | Fully observed | Members of the Audit Committee: 1. I.I. Rodionov – Chairman 2. D.V.Levkovsky - independent 3. D.G. Yefimov – independent |
| | 3) The assessment of the report of the issuer's auditor, prepared by the audit committee, shall be provided as materials for the annual general meeting of the issuer's participants. | Fully observed | Provisions on the Audit Committee of the Board of Directors of OJSC NWT (version 01-04). Article 2. "Purpose of Creating and Terms of Reference of the Committee" – clause 2, subclause 2.2.2. i). |
| 4. | A committee for personnel and remunerations shall be formed in the issuer's board of directors, the exclusive functions of which shall be: working out the principles and criteria for determining the remuneration for members of the Board of Directors, members of the collective executive body and the person acting as the one-person executive body of the issuer, including the managing organization or a manager; working out proposals on determining the essential terms of contracts with members of the board of directors, members of the collective executive body and the person acting as the one-person executive body of the issuer; determining the criteria of selecting candidates to the positions of the members of the board of directors, members of the collective executive body and to the position of the one-person executive body of the issuer, as well as preliminary assessment of the said candidates; regular assessment of the activities of the person acting as the one-person executive body (managing organization or manager) and members of the collective executive body of the issuer and preparation of proposals for the board of directors as to their possible re-appointment. 2) The personnel and remunerations committee shall consist only of the members of the board of directors meeting the requirements of clause 2 of this Appendix, and if this is | Fully observed | The Appointments and Remunerations Committee was formed by the decision of the Board of Directors dated 22.07.05 (minutes of the meeting No. 19-01/19(05)). Provisions on the Appointments and Remunerations Committee of the Board of Directors of OJSC NWT (version 01-04) (approved by the Decision of the Board of Directors, Minutes of the Meeting dated 23 August 2004 No.29-04). Article 2. "Purpose of Creating and Terms of Reference of the Committee". |
| | impossible for objective reasons, it shall consist only of the members of the board of directors meeting the requirements of clause 2 of this Appendix and members of the board of directors who are not the one-person executive body and/or the members of the collective executive body of the issuer. | Fully observed | In compliance with the Amendments and Additions to clause 3.2 of Article 3 "Members of the Committee" of the Provisions on the Appointments and Remunerations Committee, introduced by the decision of the Board of Directors dated 10.06.05 |

| | | | (minutes of the meeting No. 15-05), at the Meeting of the Board of Directors on 22.07.05 (minutes of the meeting No. 19-01/19(05)), the Committee was formed of the following members: 1. A.V. Ikonnikov – independent 2. A.A. Gogol – independent 3. I.I. Rodionov – independent; |
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| 5. | The Issuer shall form a collective executive body. | Fully observed | Articles of Association of OJSC NWT (version 03 - 05) (approved by the annual general meeting of the shareholders of 27 th June 2005, Minutes of the Meeting No. 01-05), article 14 |
| 6. | Issuer's bylaws shall set forth the duties of the members of the board of directors, members of the collective executive management body, the party acting as the one-person executive body, including the managing organization and its officials and shall disclose information on the facts of holding issuer's securities, as well as on sale and/or purchase of issuer's securities. | Fully observed | Provisions on Information Policy (approved by the decision of the Board of Directors. Minutes of the Meeting No. 38-04 of 29.10.04), Clause 5. |
| 7. | The issuer's board of directors shall approve the document setting forth the rules and approaches towards disclosing information on the issuer. | Fully observed | Provisions on Information Policy (approved by the decision of the Board of Directors. Minutes of the Meeting No. 38-04 of 29.10.04), Clause 7. |
| 8. | The issuer's board of directors shall approve a document on the use of information on issuer's activities, on company's securities and transactions with them, which is not publicly available and the disclosure of which may materially influence the market value of issuer's securities. | Fully observed | Provisions on Information Policy (approved by the decision of the Board of Directors. Minutes of the Meeting No. 38-04 of 29.10.04), Clause 9. |
| 9. | The issuer's board of directors shall approve a document setting forth the procedures of internal control of issuer's financial and economic activities, the observance of which is supervised by a separate division of the issuer, which shall provide information on any revealed breaches to the audit committee. | Fully observed | Comprehensive Check Regulations of OJSC NWT (approved by the decision of the Management Board, Minutes of the Meeting of 29.12.03 No. 299-03(34)) The document has been brought to the notice of the Board of Directors. Provisions on the Internal Audit Department, approved by the General Manager of OJSC NWT on 31.01.2003. Provisions on the Internal Control Procedures (System) of OJSC NWT have been approved by the Board of Directors (Minutes of the Meeting No. 16-05 dated 24.06.05); Provisions on the Internal Audit Department of OJSC NWT have been approved by the Board of Directors (Minutes of the Meeting No. 16-05 dated 24.06.05); The procedure of interaction between the internal audit service and an external auditor has been approved by the Management Board of OJSC NWT. Minutes of 21.02.05 No. 4-05(342). |
| 10. | There shall be a provision in the issuer's articles of association that a notification of holding a general meeting of the shareholders shall be provided at least 30 days before | Fully observed | Articles of Association of OJSC NWT (version 03 - 05) approved by the annual general |

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| | it is held, unless a longer period is provided for by the law. | | meeting of the shareholders of 27 th June 2005, Minutes of the Meeting No. 01-05), article 12 "General Meeting of the Shareholders", clause 12.12. |
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| 11. | In the issuer's articles of association there shall be no exemption of an acquirer from the obligation of suggesting the shareholders that they sell their common shares of the company (issued securities convertible into common shares) in case of acquisition of 30 or more per cent of the common shares of the joint-stock company. | Fully observed | Articles of Association of OJSC NWT (version 03 - 05) (approved by the annual general meeting of the shareholders of 27 th June 2005, Minutes of the Meeting No. 01-05), article 7 "Rights and Obligations of the Shareholders Holding Common Shares of the Company", clause 7.12. |

General Manager

V.A. Akulich

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AMENDMENTS TO THE LIST OF AFFILIATED PARTIES

OF THE OPEN JOINT-STOCK COMPANY NORTH-WEST TELECOM

(full official name of the joint stock company)

Place of issuer's business: 14/26 ul. Gorokhovaya (26 ul. Bolshaya Morskaya) St. Petersburg, 191186, Russia

(location (address of the joint-stock company's standing executive body (other party entitled to act on behalf of the joint-stock company without a power of attorney)))

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Web-page address: www.nwtelecom.ru

(address of the Internet page used by the Issuer to disclose information)

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| | 2 | Data on the affiliated party after the amendment: | Novgorod Datacom Limited Liability Company | 2 | Full official name (name for non-profit organization) or full name of the affiliated party | Data on the affiliated party prior to the amendment: | Termination of business of an affiliated party in the result of re-organization in the form of affiliation with the other affiliated party | | II. Amendments to the list of affiliated parties within the period 0 1 0 9 2 0 0 5 |
| | သ | | 20, ul. Mikhaylova, Veliky Novgorod, 173000 | 3 | Location for the legal entity or place of residence for the natural person (may only be provided by the consent of the natural person) | | party in the result of re-organization | Contents of the amendment | arties within the period 2 0 0 5 till 3 1 |
| • | 4 | | The Company is entitled to have at its disposal over 20 per cent of the total number of the votes granted by the shares (contributions, parts) making the authorized capital of the party | 4 | ocation for the legal entity or place of residence for the natural person (may only be provided by the consent of the natural person) Ground (grounds) in virtue of which the party shall be consent as affiliated | | n in the form of affiliation with the | Effe | 1 2 2 0 0 5 |
| 1 | 5 | | ver 04.03.2005 | 5 | Date on which the ground takes effect: | | 03.10.2005 | Effective date of the amendment | |
| • | 6 | | 1 | 6 | Date on which share of participation the ground in the authorized takes effect: stock company, % | | | | |
| ı | 7 | | , | 7 | Percentage of joint- stock company's common stock held by the affiliated party, % | | 05.10.2005 | Date of the amendment to the list of affiliated parties | |

NOTIFICATION ON THE DATA THAT MAY HAVE A SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE ON THE VALUE OF THE JOINT STOCK COMPANY'S SECURITIES "CHANGES IN CORPORATE MANAGEMENT RATING"

| 1. General | | |
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| 1.1. Full official name of the Issuer company: | Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom | |
| 1.2. Abbreviated official name of the Issuer company: | OJSC NWT | |
| 1.3. Place of Issuer's business: | 14/26, ul. Gorokhovaya (26, ul. Bolshaya Morskaya), St. Petersburg, Russia | |
| 1.4. Issuer's BSRN (Basic State Registration No.) | 1027809169849 | |
| 1.5. Issuer's TIN (Taxpayer's Identification No.) | 7808020593 | |
| 1.6. Unique Issuer's code assigned by the registering authority: | 00119-A. | |
| 1.7. URL of the Internet page used by the Issuer to disclose information: | http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test C7740C3BCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/index.html | |
| 1.8. Name of the periodical (periodicals) used by the Issuer to publish information: | Izvestiya – St.Petersburg newspaper | |

2. Contents of the notification

- 2.1. Object of assigning the rating: issuer
- 2.2. Full official name of the organization that gave the credit rating: Standard & Poor's
- **2.3.** Place of business of the organization that gave the credit rating: 55 Water Street New York, NY, United States, 10041 (central office)
- k.2, d, 4/7, ul. Vozdvizhenka, 7th floor, business centre "Mokhovaya", Moscow, 125009 (Moscow representative office)
- **2.4. Rating:** Corporate management rating according to the international scale
- 2.5. Value of rating before the revision: 5
- 2.6. Value of rating after the revision: 5
- 2.7. Rating: Corporate management rating according to the Russian national scale
- 2.8. Value of rating before the revision: 5,0
- 2.9. Value of rating after the revision: 5,4
- **2.10. Other information:** Detailed information is available on the web-site of the rating agency (http://www.standardandpoors.ru)

| | 3. Signature | |
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| 3.1. General Manager ¬ | V.A. Akulich | |
| 3.2. Date 10 th October 2005 | Official seal | |

NOTICE ON THE DATA THAT MAY HAVE A SIGNIFICANT INFLUENCE ON THE VALUE OF THE JOINT STOCK COMPANY'S SECURITIES

"DISCLOSING BY THE JOINT-STOCK COMPANY INFORMATION ON ANNUAL FINANCIAL (BOOK-KEEPING) ACCOUNTS AND REPORTS PREPARED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL REPORTING STANDARDS OR WITH THE USA GENERALLY ACCEPTED ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES"

| 1. General | | |
|--|---|--|
| 1.1. Full official name of the Issuer company: | Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom | |
| 1.2. Abbreviated official name of the Issuer company: | OJSC NWT | |
| 1.3. Place of Issuer's business: | 14/26, ul. Gorokhovaya (26, ul. Bolshaya Morskaya), St. Petersburg, Russia | |
| 1.4. Issuer's BSRN (Basic State Registration No.) | 1027809169849 | |
| 1.5. Issuer's TIN (Taxpayer's Identification No.) | 7808020593 | |
| 1.6. Unique Issuer's code assigned by the registering authority: | 00119-A. | |
| 1.7. URL of the Internet page used by the | http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test | |
| Issuer to disclose information: | C7740C3BCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/index.html | |
| 1.8. Name of the periodical (periodicals) used | Izvestiya – St. Petersburg newspaper | |
| by the Issuer to publish information: | | |

2. Contents of the notification

- 2.1. Type of the Issuer's financial (book-keeping) accounts and reports (consolidated or of a legal entity), prepared in compliance with the International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS) or with the USA Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (US GAAP), as well as the reporting period for which the said financial (book-keeping) accounts and reports have been made up: unaudited consolidated accounts and reports for the 6 months of 2005
- 2.2. Date of sending (submitting) by the joint-stock company financial (book-keeping) accounts and reports to the appropriate authority (organization) regulating foreign securities market and/or other organizations in compliance with the foreign law for the purpose of its disclosing among the unlimited circle of persons: 28.10.2005
- 2.3. Financial reporting standards used for preparation of the Issuer's financial (book-keeping) accounts and reports: International Financial Reporting Standards (IFRS)
- 2.4. No audit was carried out in respect of these financial accounts and reports
- 2.5. URL of the Internet-page used by the Issuer to disclose the said financial (book-keeping) accounts and reports and the summary part of the auditor's report:

http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test--C7740C6CCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/lang--/index.html

| | 3. Signature | |
|---|---------------|--|
| 3.1. General Manager ¬ | V.A. Akulich | |
| 3.2. Date 28 th October 2005 | Official seal | |

NOTIFICATION ON THE ESSENTIAL FACT

"DATA ON ACCRUED AND (OR) PAID YIELD UNDER ISSUER'S SECURITIES", "DATA ON THE TIMING OF ISSUER'S EXECUTION OF ITS COMMITMENTS TO SECURITIES HOLDERS"

| 1. General | | |
|--|--|--|
| 1.1. Full official name of the Issuer company: | Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom | |
| 1.2. Abbreviated official name of the issuer company: | OJSC NWT | |
| 1.3. Place of issuer's business: | 14/26, ul. Gorokhovaya (26, ul. Bolshaya Morskaya), St. Petersburg, Russia | |
| 1.4. Issuer's BSRN (Basic State Registration No.) | 1027809169849 | |
| 1.5. Issuer's TIN (Taxpayer's Identification No.) | 7808020593 | |
| 1.6. Unique Issuer's code assigned by the registering authority: | 00119-A. | |
| 1.7. Address of the Internet page used by the Issuer to disclose information: | http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test C7740C3BCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/index.html | |
| 1.8. Name of the periodical (periodicals) used by the Issuer to publish information: | Izvestiya – St.Petersburg newspaper | |

| 1.9. Code of the essential fact: | 0600119A05102005, 0900119A05102005 |
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2. Contents of the notification

- **2.1.** Type, category, series and other identification characteristics of securities: series 02 documentary non-convertible interest-bearing bonds payable to bearer, with obligatory centralized care
- **2.2.** The state registration number of the securities issue and the date of registration by the state: 4-02-00119-A of 08.07.2003;
- 2.3. Name of the registering authority that effected the state registration of the securities issue: Federal Commission for the Securities Market of Russia
- **2.4.** Issuer's management body taking the decision on determining the interest rate yielded by Bonds: the amount of this (eighth) coupon yield under the 02 series Bonds of OJSC North-West Telecom has been determined by the Issuer according to the results of the auction held at MMVB (Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange) in compliance with the Decision on the Securities Issue approved by the Board of Directors of OJSC North-West Telecom on 10th June 2003;
- 2.5. Date of taking the decision on determining (the procedure of determining) the interest (coupon) rate yielded by Bonds: 08.10.2003
- 2.6. Date of making up the minutes of the meeting (session) of the issuer's management body taking the decision on determining (the procedure of determining) the interest (coupon) rate yielded by the Issuer's Bonds: 08.10.2003
- 2.7. Total interest and (or) other income to be paid (which was to be paid) under the Issuer's series 02 Bonds in the eighth coupon period: 49,365,000 (forty nine million three hundred and sixty five thousand) roubles.

interest and (or) other income to be paid (which was to be paid) per one of the Issuer's series 02 Bonds in the eighth coupon period: 32 (thirty two) roubles 91 kop.

- 2.8. Form of yield payment on Issuer's securities: money
- 2.9. Due date of income payment under the Issuer's securities (yield (interest) under the Bonds): 05.10.2005
- 2.10. Total (aggregate) amount of interest and (or) other yield paid under the 02 series Bonds of the Issuer: 409,860,000 (four hundred nine million eight hundred and sixty thousand) roubles
- 2.11. Contents of the Issuer's commitment; amount of such commitment in monetary terms for

| money obligations or other commitment that can be expressed in monetary terms: payment of the eighth coupon yield under the Issuer's series 02 Bonds in the amount of 49,365,000 (forty nine million three hundred sixty five) roubles. | | | | |
|---|--|--|--|--|
| 2.12. Fact of Issuer's commitment execution or non-execution (default): the commitments have been fully executed | | | | |
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| not applicable, the commitments have been fully executed | | | | |
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| 3. Signature | | | | |
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| 3.1. General Manager ¬V.A. Akulich | | | | |
| 3.2. Date 05 th October 2005 Official seal | | | | |

NOTIFICATION ON THE ESSENTIAL FACT

"DATA ON RE-ORGANIZATION OF THE ISSUER, ITS SUBSIDIARIES AND AFFILIATES"

| 1. General | | |
|--|--|--|
| 1.1. Full official name of the Issuer company: | Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom | |
| 1.2. Abbreviated official name of the issuer company: | OJSC NWT | |
| 1.3. Place of issuer's business: | 14/26, ul. Gorokhovaya (26, ul. Bolshaya Morskaya), St. Petersburg, Russia | |
| 1.4. Issuer's BSRN (Basic State Registration No.) | 1027809169849 | |
| 1.5. Issuer's TIN (Taxpayer's Identification No.) | 7808020593 | |
| 1.6. Unique Issuer's code assigned by the registering authority: | 00119-A. | |
| 1.7. Address of the Internet page used by the Issuer to disclose information: | http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test C7740C3BCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/index.html | |
| 1.8. Name of the periodical (periodicals) used by the Issuer to publish information: | Izvestiya – St.Petersburg newspaper | |

| 1.9. Code of the essential fact: | 0100119A05102005 |
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2. Contents of the notification

- 2.1. Form of reorganization: affiliation
- **2.2.** Issuer's authorized management body taking the decision which is the ground for reorganization: The decision of the sole participant of the Novgorod Datacom LLC No.01-05 dated 31st May 2005 in compliance with the decision of the Board of Directors of OJSC NWT Minutes No.14-05 dated 31st May 2005
- **2.3. Full and abbreviated official names of the reorganized legal entity:** Deitacom Limited Liability Company, Deitacom LLC
- **2.4. Location:** 20, ul. Mikhaylova, Veliky Novgorod, 173000
- 2.5. Full and abbreviated official names of the legal entity which terminated its business as a result of reorganization:

Datacom Limited Liability Company, Datacom LLC

- **2.6. Location:** 20, ul. Mikhaylova, Veliky Novgorod, 173000
- 2.7. The Issuer's share of participation in the authorized (share) capital of the profit-making company established as a result of reorganization: 100%
- 2.8. Date of reorganization:
- 2.8.1. The date of making an entry in the Single State Register of Legal Entities on termination of the business of affiliated legal entity): 03.10.2005
- 2.9. Date on which the Issuer received written notice on the state registration of the legal entity established as a result of reorganization: 05.10.2005

| | 3. Signature | |
|---|---------------|--|
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| 3.1. General Manager ¬ | V.A. Akulich | |
| 3.2. Date 05 th October 2005 | Official seal | |

ON THE ESSENTIAL FACT "DATA ON THE TIMING OF COMMITMENTS EXECUTION TO SECURITIES HOLDERS"

| 1. General | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 1.1. Full official name of the Issuer company: | Open Joint-Stock Company North-West Telecom | | | | |
| 1.2. Abbreviated official name of the issuer company: | OJSC NWT | | | | |
| 1.3. Place of issuer's business: | 14/26, ul. Gorokhovaya (26, ul. Bolshaya Morskaya), St. Petersburg, Russia | | | | |
| 1.4. Issuer's BSRN (Basic State Registration No.) | 1027809169849 | | | | |
| 1.5. Issuer's TIN (Taxpayer's Identification No.) | 7808020593 | | | | |
| 1.6. Unique Issuer's code assigned by the registering authority: | 00119-A. | | | | |
| 1.7. URLof the Internet page used by the Issuer to disclose information: | http://www.nwtelecom.ru/pubsas/test C7740C3BCBAA11D5AE4B0050045260BB/index.html | | | | |
| 1.8. Name of the periodical (periodicals) used by the Issuer to publish information: | Izvestiya – St.Petersburg newspaper | | | | |

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| 1.9. Code of the essential fact: | 0900119A12102005 |

2. Contents of the notification

- 2.1. Type, category, series and other identification characteristics of securities: series 02 documentary non-convertible interest-bearing bonds payable to bearer, with obligatory centralized care
- 2.2. The state registration number of the securities issue and the date of registration by the state: 4-02-00119-A of 08.07.2003;
- 2.3. Name of the registering authority that effected the state registration of the securities issue: Federal Commission for the Securities Market of Russia
- 2.4. Contents of the Issuer's commitment: execution of the Issuer's commitment to buy the Bonds provided for by the Decision on the issue of series 02 securities by OJSC NWT
- 2.5. Amount of the commitment in money terms (total value of Bonds presented by their owners for redemption, taking into account the amount of accrued coupon yield): 61,052,930 roubles
- 2.6. Date on which the Issuer's commitment must be fulfilled, and if the commitment must be fulfilled by the Issuer within a certain time (period), – the date of expiry of such a period: 12.10.05
- 2.7. Fact of Issuer's commitment execution or non-execution (default):

the commitments have been fully executed

2.8. In case of Issuer's default on an obligation, state the reason for such a default, and for a monetary liability that can be expressed in money terms, also state the amount of such a liability in money terms, to which it has not been fulfilled:

not applicable, the commitments have been fully executed

| | 3. Signature | |
|---|---------------|--|
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| 3.1. General Manager ¬ | V.A. Akulich | |
| 3.2. Date 12 th October 2005 | Official seal | |

BALANCE SHEET 0710001 26.10.2005 01166228 Form No 01 OCUD as of Company September 30, 2005 ОАО "Северо-Западный Телеком" Date OKPO 780820593 Communication Tax indefinition number 780820593 64.20.11,12,22,3,21 Areas of activity OKVED Organizational and Legal form/form of Ownership Unit of measure: Adress: Joint stock company thousand roubles 47/34 384 OKOPF/OKFS OKEI 14/26 ul. Gorokhovaya, St.Petersburg, 191186 Date of approval Date of mailing (acceptance)

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| ASSETS | Explanation | Code Indexes | Line code | As of the beginning of the period under report | As of the end of the period under report |
|--|-------------|-----------------|--------------|--|--|
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| i. Non-curculation assets Intangible assets | | 110 | 110 | 457 | 70 |
| Fixed assets | | 120 | 120 | 18 627 158 | 18 647 612 |
| Capital investment | | 130 | 130 | 1 013 229 | 3 049 245 |
| Profitability investment in stock of material | | 135 | 135 | 0 | 0 |
| Long term financial investment | | 140 | 140 | 167 908 | 242 689 |
| includes: investment in subsidaries | | | 141 | 85 448 | 151 028 |
| investment in associate companies | | | 142 | 32 839 | 32 839 |
| investment in other companies | | | 143 | 30 887 | 42 426 |
| other long-term financial investment | | | 144 | 18 734 | 16 396 |
| Deferred tax assets | | 145 | 145 | 494 888 | 334 416 |
| Other non-curculation assets | | 150 | 150 | 1 703 977 | 1 901 678 |
| Total for section 1 | | 190 | 190 | 22 007 617 | 24 175 710 |

| Total for section 1 | | 190 | 190 | 22 007 617 | 24 175 710 |
|--|-------------|-----------------|------------------|---|--|
| ASSETS | Explanation | Code Indexes | Line | As of the beginning of the period under | As of the end of the period under report |
| | | | 1777 | report | po(100 01100 (opo(1 |
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | | |
| II.Curculation assets Resource | | 210 | 210 | 520 116 | 469 809 |
| includes: | | | ł | | |
| raw material, material and other similuar | | | 1 . | | |
| value | | 211 | 211 | 302 280 | 305 992 |
| expenditures in work-in-process (turnover | | | Į . | | : |
| costs) | | 213 | 213 | 143 | 1 226 |
| finished products and goods for resale | | 214 | 214 | 11 140 | 9 260 |
| shipped goods | | 045 | | | |
| deffered expences | | 215 216 | 215 216 | 205 949 | 153 331 |
| other stock and expences | | 217 | 217 | 0 | 0 |
| | | | | | - |
| Value added tax on acquired values | | 220 | 220 | 1 110 785 | 1 058 883 |
| Account receviable (expected in over 12 months after date of the report) | | | | | - |
| | | 230 | 230 | 67 447 | 56 812 |
| includes: | | | ŀ | | |
| customers and principal | | 231 | 231 | 9 399 | 8 502 |
| advance receivable | | 201 | 232 | 2 047 | 669 |
| other debtors | | | 233 | 56 001 | 47 641 |
| Account receviable (expected 12 mths after date of report) | | | | | |
| | | 240 | 240 | 1 391 311 | 1 817 271 |
| includes: | | | | | |
| customers and principal | | 241 | 241 | 4.51.004 | |
| advance receivable | | 241 | 241 | 1 151 031 72 333 | 1 415 479 99 078 |
| other debtors | | | 243 | 167 947 | 302 714 |
| | | | | | |
| Short-term financial investment | | 250 | 250 | 15 689 | 162 044 |
| Money funds | | 260 | 260 | 239 782 | 250 326 |
| Other curculation assets | | 270 | 270 | 319 | 6 315 |
| Total for section II | | 290 | 290 | 3 345 449 | 3 821 460 |
| DALANCE (aum of lines 4004000) | | 200 | - 200 | 0 343 449 | 3 021 400 |

| LIABILITY | Explanation | Code indexes | Line code | As of the beginning of the period under report | As of the end of the period under report |
|---|-------------|-----------------|--------------|--|--|
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | | |
| III. Capital and reserves Authorized capital | | 410 | 410 | 1 131 415 | 1 131 415 |
| Add capital | | 420 | 420 | 8 126 713 | 8 092 702 |
| Reserve capital | | 430 | 430 | 46 897 | 56 571 |
| Own shares, repay from shareholders | | 411 | 440 | (0) | (0) |
| Undistributed profit (uncover loss) of past | | | i | 1 | |
| years | | 470 | 460 | 5 299 818 | 4 986 362 |
| Undistributed profit (loss) of the period under report | | 470 | 470 | x | 1 614 623 |
| Total for section (II | | 490 | 490_ | 14 604 843 | 15 881 673 |
| IV. Long-term ilability Credits and loans | | 510 | 510 | 0.000.401 | مديور ۽ |
| includes: | | 510 | | 2 808 434 | 5 434 496 |
| credits loans | | | 511 512 | 2 576 939 231 495 | 2 231 046 3 203 450 |
| Deferred tax liabilities | | 515 | 515 | 590 675 | 636 787 |
| Other long term liabilities | | 520 | 520 | 1 131 204 | 595 843 |
| Total for section IV | | 590 | 590 | 4 530 313 | 6 667 126 |
| V. Short term liabilities Credits and loans | | 610 | 610 | 2 025 180 | 1 609 037 |
| includes: credits | | | 611 | 495 641 | 5 774 |
| loans | | | 612 | 1 529 539 | 1 603 263 |
| Credit receviable, includes: | | 620 | 620 | 3 450 767 | 2 921 942 |
| vendors and supliers | | 621 | 621 | 1 906 210 | 1 540 365 |
| advance receviable debt to staff | | 625 | 622 | 373 662 | 252 173 |
| dept to stati | | 622 | 623 | 142 375 | 178 945 |
| debt to state non budget funds | | 623 | 624 | 69 112 | 88 028 |
| debt to tax and fees | | | | | |
| other creditors | ļ | 624 625 | 625 626 | 409 429 549 979 | 376 089 486 342 |
| Indebtedness to participants (founders) on income payment | | 630 | 630 | 18 070 | 181 129 |
| Deferred income | | 640 | 640 | 78 677 | 77 711 |
| deferred costs reserve | | | | | |
| Other long form liabilities | | 650 | 650 | 645 216 | 658 552 |
| Other long term liabilities | | 660 | 660 | 0 | 0 |
| Total for section V | | 690 | 690 | 6 217 910 | 5 448 371 |
| BALANCE (sum of lines 490+590+690) | | 700 | 700 | 25 353 066 | 27 997 170 |

| Name of Index | Explanation | Code indexes | Line code | As of the beginning of the period under report | As of the end of the period under report |
|---|-------------|-----------------|--------------|--|--|
| | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | | |
| Leased fixed assets | | 910 | 901 | 966 532 | 856 806 |
| including those under leasing | | 911 | 911 | 320 893 | 204 298 |
| Stock accepted for custody | | 920 | 902 | 56 606 | 78 917 |
| Goods, accepted to commision | | 930 | 903 | 7 492 | 9 954 |
| Insolvent debtor's indebtedness writen-off to loss | | 940 | 904 | 670 173 | 487 709 |
| Received liability and payment collaters | | 950 | 905 | 22 165 | 21 562 |
| Received liabilities and payment receivable | | 960 | 906 | 5 301 448 | 3 338 560 |
| Wear of residential fund | | 970 | 907 | 7 606 | 7 324 |
| Wear of external improvments and other similar facilities | | 980 | 908 | 3 083 | 3 237 |
| Funds for payment for telecommunication services | | | 909 | 57 372 | 92 887 |

| Inquiry of net wealth cost | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|--|--|--|--|
| Name of Index | Explanation | Code indexes | Line code | As of the beginning of the period under report | As of the end of the period under report | | |
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 | | |
| Net assets | | | 1000 | 14 683 520 | 15 959 384 | | |

| Head of the compar | ıy | V.A. Akulich | Chief account | | M.M.Semchenko |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| | (signature) | (signature explanation) | | (signature) | (signature explanation) |
| October 27, 2005 | | | | | |

| Profit | and loss statement | | CODES |
|--|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| | | Form № 02 OKUD | 0710002 |
| As of | 9 months year 2005 | Date | 26.10.2005 |
| Company | North-West Telecom | ОКРО | 01166228 |
| Tax indefication number | 7808020593 | TIN | 7808020593 |
| Areas of activity | communication | OKVED | 64.20.11,12,22,3,21 |
| Organizatioal and legal form/form of Ownership | Joint stock company | OKPF/OKFS | 47/34 |
| Units of measure: | thousand roubles | OKEI | 384 |

| of Ownership | Joint Stock | company | | OKPF/OKFS | 41134 |
|--|-----------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|--|
| Units of measure: | thousand | roubles | | OKEI | 384 |
| Index | Explanati on | Index code | Line code | As for the period under report | As for simular period of the previous year |
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| | | | | | |
| I. Income and expences for normal activity Proceeds (net) from sales of goods, | | | | | |
| products, jobs and services (less the VAT) | | 010 | 010 | 14 792 199 | 12 710 980 |
| Including that from communication services | | | 011 | 14 337 443 | 12 291 835 |
| Prime cost of sold goods, products, works and services | | 020 | 020 | (11 268 967) | (9 894 597) |
| services | | 020 | 020 | (11 070 420) | (9 894 597) (9 718 667) |
| Profit (loss) from sales (line 010 - | | | 021 | (11 070 420) | (9710007) |
| 020) | | 050 | 050 | 3 523 232 | 2 816 383 |
| II. Operating income and expences | | | | | |
| Interest receivable | | 060 | 060 | 80 873 | 22 972 |
| Interest paybale Income from participation in other | | 070 | 070 . | (501 420) | (255 187) |
| organizations | | 080 | 080 | 5 961 | 1 750 |
| Other operating income | | 090 | 090 | 186 417 | 487 373 |
| Other operating expences III. Income and expenses from | | 100 | 100 | (952 502) | (1 153 532) |
| source other than sales income from sources other than sales | | 120 | 120 | 451 470 | 305 613 |
| Expences for sources other than sales | | 130 | 130 | (437 168) | (552 372) |
| Income (loss) before taxes (lines.050+060-070+080+090- | | | | | |
| 100+120-130) | | 140 | 140 | 2 356 863 | 1 673 000 |
| Expences for tax on profit (lines -151+/-152+/-153) including: | | | 150 | (742 083) | (535 518) |
| hold over tax liabiliities | | 142 | 151 | (46 205) | (103 549) |
| hold over tax actives | | 141 | 152 | (63 981) | 41 469 |
| Current profit tax Income (loss) from normal activity | | 150 | 153 | (631 897) | (473 438) |
| (lines 140-150) | | | 160 | 1 614 780 | 1 137 482 |

| Index | Explanati on | Index code | Line code | As for the period under report | As for simular period of the previous year |
|--|--|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|--|
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| IV. Extraordinary income and expences | | | | | |
| Extraordinary incomes | | | 170 | 995 | 1 947 |
| Extraordinary expences | and the same of th | | 180 | (1 152) | (548) |
| NET PROFIT (Nondistributed profit (loss) ot the period under | | | | | |
| report (lines19001+19002) | A MANAGER CAR PART I C | 190 | 190 | 1 614 623 | 1 138 881 |
| NOTES Conditional expences/income | - | | | | |
| under profit tax | | | 201 | (560 015) | (401 858) |
| Constant tax liabilities | | 200 | 202 | (186 473) | (149 040) |
| Constant tax assets | | 200 | 203 | 4 405 | 15 380 |

| Index | Explanati on | Index code | Line code | As for the period under report | As for simular period of the previous year |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|---------------|-----------|--------------------------------|--|
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 2a | 3 | 4 |
| Base profit (loss) per share | | | 301 | Х | Х |
| Water profit (loss) per share | | | 302 | X | х |

^{*} Filled in annual account report

Explanation of profit and loss items

| Index | Index Line | | As for the perio | period of the | |
|---|------------|------|------------------|---------------|---------|
| | code | Code | profit | loss | profit |
| 1 | 1a | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| Fines, penalties, and forfeits, which have been acknowledged or for which (arbitration) court awards on recovery have been received | | 401 | 27 122 | (1 718) | 18 801 |
| Profit (loss) pf the past years | | 402 | 29 457 | (55 583) | 163 930 |
| Indemnification for losses inflicted by failure to fulfil or to fulfil duty the obligations | | 403 | 1 737 | (1 505) | 2 050 |
| Exchange rates of foreign currency transaction | | 404 | 20 723 | (4 105) | 66 769 |
| Reduction to the reserve fund Writing off accounts receivable and | | 405 | 122 230 | (29 064) | 102 575 |
| payable with expired limitation period | | 406 | 7 818 | (6 697) | 2 459 |

| Head of the company | V.A. Akulich | Chief accountant | | M.M. Semchenko |
|---------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| (signature) | (signature explanation) | | (signature) | (signature explanation) |

OJSC North-West Telecom

Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements

For the 6 months that expired on 30th June 2005

Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements

For the 6 months that expired on 30th June 2005

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OJSC North-West Telecom Unaudited Consolidated Balance Sheet as of 30th June 2005 (in thousands roubles)

31st December

| | No. | 30 th June 2005 | 2004 (audited) |
|--|-------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| ASSETS | - 10 | | |
| Non-current assets | | | |
| Fixed Assets Intangible assets and goodwill Financial investments in associated companies | 2 3 5 | 22 700 786 2 268 733 86 817 | 22 037 788 2 225 919 85 046 |
| Long-term financial investments Long-term accounts receivable and other financial assets Long-term issued advances | 6 | 656 931 25 407 744 149 | 656 990 37 139 313 351 |
| Total non-current assets | _ | 26 482 823 | 25 356 233 |
| Current assets Inventory holdings Accounts receivable | 7 8 | 349 878 1 446 530 | 322 901 1 173 279 |
| Current income tax asset Short-term financial investments | 6 | 168 682 10 020 | 147 588 7 366 |
| Other current assets | 9 | 1 169 271 | 1 303 520 |
| Cash and cash equivalents Total current assets | 10 | 1 233 318 4 377 699 | 253 389 3 208 043 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | . = | 30 860 522 | 28 564 276 |
| EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | | | |
| Preferred stock Common stock | 11 11 | 621 739 2 233 765 | 621 739 2 233 765 |
| Treasury stock | 11 | (54 634) | (60 822) |
| Additional capital, retained earnings and other reserves | _ | 14 221 785 | 13 532 720 |
| Total equity related to shareholders of the group's parent company | | 17 022 655 | 16 327 402 |
| Minority interest | | 27 547 | 27 448 |
| Total equity | | | |
| Long-term liabilities Long-term credits and loans | 13 | 4 691 068 | 3 180 399 |
| Finance lease long-term liabilities | 13 | 393 628 | 485 426 |
| Pension provision liabilities | | 1 205 031 | 1 141 963 |
| Deferred income | | 176 996 | 216 557 |
| Deferred income tax liability | _ | 1 263 427 | 1 171 626 |
| Total long-term liabilities | | 7 730 150 | 6 195 971 |
| Current liabilities | | | |
| Accounts payable and accrued liabilities | 14 | 1 355 607 | 2 059 483 |
| Accounts payable to OJSC Rostelecom | | 161 109 | 159 245 |
| Current income tax accounts payable | | 5 405 | 155 121 |
| Taxes payable and social security payable Dividends payable | 15 | 772 233 355 614 | 809 692 18 278 |
| Short-term credits and loans | | 646 442 | 140 595 |
| Share of long-term credits and loans to be repaid within the year Current portion of obligations under finance leases | 13 | 2 588 320 195 440 | 2 465 835 205 206 |
| 2 | | | |

| Total current liabilities | | | 6 080 170 | 6 013 455 |
|------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|------------|------------------|
| Total liabilities | | | 13 810 320 | |
| TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES | | = | 30 860 522 | 28 564 276 |
| V.A. Akulich, | Chief executive officer | Chief accountant | | _ M.M. Semchenko |

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

OJSC North-West Telecom Unaudited Consolidated Profit and Loss Report for 6 months of 2005

(in thousands of roubles)

| | No. | 6 months of 2005 | 2004 (audited) |
|--|-----|------------------|-------------------|
| Income | 16 | 9 912 906 | 15 407 400 |
| Wages, other pays and social deductions | | (3 137 578) | (5 412 328) |
| Wear and depreciation | | (1 071 890) | (2 079 404) |
| Materials, repairs and maintenance, utilities | | (941 276) | (1 431 405) |
| Taxes other than income tax | | (216 401) | (346 152) |
| Communication operators charges - international companies | | (233) | (1 279) |
| Communication operators charges - Russian companies | | (1 742 583) | (2 909 848) |
| (Expenditure) restoration of doubtful debts reserve | | 47 272 | (361 557) |
| Profit (loss) from withdrawal of fixed assets | | (74 387) | 23 130 |
| Other operating expenses | 17 | (956 254) | (1 369 764) |
| Operating profit | | 1 819 576 | 1 518 793 |
| Profit from interest in associated companies | | 1 764 | 3 710 |
| Interest expenses, net | 18 | (364 394) | (325 797) |
| Profit from financial investments | | 2 328 | 31 643 |
| Foreign exchange gain, net | | 15 585 | 21 313 |
| Profit before taxes | | 1 474 859 | 1 249 662 |
| Profit tax | | (449 170) | (540 520) |
| Profit for the period under report | | 1 025 689 | 709 142 |
| Profit related to shareholders of the group's parent company Profit related to minority shareholders of subsidiaries | | 1 024 712 977 | 705 318 3 824 |
| Profit for the period under report | | 1 025 689 | 709 142 |

V.A. Akulich, _____ Chief executive officer Chief accountant _____ M.M. Semchenko

The accompanying notes form an integral part of these consolidated financial statements

OJSC North-West Telecom Notes to the Unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements for 6 months of 2005

1. General

The unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements of OJSC North-West Telecom ("Company") and its subsidiaries (jointly referred to as the "Group") have been prepared for 6 months of 2005.

Principles of preparing the unaudited Consolidated Financial Statements

The financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom for 6 months of 2005 according to IFRS are presented as the balance sheet, profit and loss report and notes to the financial statements. These statements do not contain all disclosures required according to IFRS, however, their volume are sufficient to obtain an idea of the financial standing and the results of the Company's activities for 6 months of 2005.

Statements for 6 months according to IFRS are presented by OJSC North-West Telecom for the first time; such reports have never been presented by OJSC North-West Telecom before. These reports are unaudited consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom. No procedures of audit, review or other similar procedures will be performed in respect of these statements. At the same time, taking into account the experience of OJSC North-West Telecom in the field of presenting reports according to IFRS, the Company considers that users of the financial statements can rely on these statements.

OJSC North-West Telecom and its subsidiaries and dependent companies keep records in Russian roubles and make up financial statements in compliance with the Federal Law of the Russian Federation "On Accounting". These unaudited consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom have been prepared on the basis of the unaudited financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom and its subsidiaries and dependent companies made up in the format complying with the International Financial Reporting Standards taking into account the assumptions listed below.

Restrictions and assumptions in the financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom for 6 months of 2005

In preparing these unaudited consolidated financial statements, OJSC North-West Telecom used less procedures than could have been used in preparing annual consolidated financial statements. In this context, OJSC North-West Telecom has used some assumptions, including those concerning the fair value of assets and liabilities of acquired subsidiaries and dependent companies, the value of pension provision liabilities, deferred income, fixed assets depreciation reserves, inventory holdings and accounts receivable. The actual figures of the financial reporting for the year that expired on 31st December 2005 may differ from the figures of these financial statements, as there might have been some adjustments of the information on assumptions used by the Company and some other new information might have appeared.

These unaudited consolidated financial statements do not contain any information on comparable figures of the financial statements for 6 months of 2004. For comparison purposes, the Group presents audited financial figures for the year that expired on 31st December 2004 and as of 31st December 2004.

The content of the notes to the unaudited consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom do not disclose fully all the information, the disclosure of which is required for compliance with the International Financial Reporting Standards. The content of the notes to the annual consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom may disclose information in a volume larger than disclosed in these unaudited consolidated financial statements of OJSC North-West Telecom.

Regroupings for the previous periods

Some amounts in the audited consolidated balance sheet as of 31st December 2004 were regrouped for comparison with the presentation of the figures for the current intermediate period.

2. Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are taken into account at the cost of acquisition or construction less the accumulated wear and impairment.

Depreciation of fixed assets shall be calculated by the straight-line method. Periods of depreciation approximately equal to the estimated useful lives of each group of assets are presented below:

Buildings and facilities 20-50 years
Analogue switches 10-20 years
Digital switches 10-15 years
Other telecommunications equipment 10-20 years
Vehicles 5 years
Computers, office and other equipment 3-5 years

Land plots Are not depreciated

For the purposes of information disclosure, fixed assets are grouped as follows:

- Land plots, buildings and facilities
- Switches and transmitting devices
- Construction in progress and equipment to be installed
- Other fixed assets, including computers, vehicles and other equipment.

The period of validity of the Company's operating licenses is significantly shorter than the useful lives used for depreciation of the cost of property, plant and equipment. Taking into account the existing Russian legislation in the field of licensing and the previous experience, management believes that the operating licenses will be renewed without significant cost, which would allow the Company to realize the cost of its property, plant and equipment through normal operations.

Construction in progress is recorded as the total of actual expenses incurred by the Company from the beginning of construction to the reporting date. Accrual of depreciation begins when fixed assets are put into operation.

Interest on loans received for the funding of the construction of fixed assets is capitalized as part of the cost of the related asset during the period required to complete the construction and prepare the asset for its intended use. Other loan expenses are recorded in the profit and loss report.

The costs of maintenance and repairs are included in the expenses as they are done. Costs of renovations and betterments are capitalized, while replaced assets are written off. Any gains or losses resulting from assets writing off are included in the financial results, as they are written off.

IAS 36 "Impairment of Assets" requires that the recoverable amount of an asset, including property, plant and equipment, should be estimated whenever there is an indication that the assets may be impaired.

The book value of fixed assets is analyzed for impairment in case of any events or change of circumstances, as a result of which the book value of fixed assets may be not recoverable. If there is such an indicator and the book value exceeds the estimated recoverable figure, the value of assets of units generating the receipt of cash flows, then the book value is lessened to their recoverable value. The recoverable amount of the assets is equal to the higher of the net selling price and the value in further use. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. For an asset that does not generate cash inflows, the recoverable amount is determined for the cash–generating unit to which the asset belongs. Impairment expenses are recorded in the profit and loss report.

| | Land plots, buildings and facilities | Switches and transmitting devices | Construction in progress and equipment to be installed | Vehicles and other fixed assets | Total |
|----------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------|------------|
| Depreciated cost as of 3 | 31 st | | | | |
| December 2004 | 10 057 802 | 10 018 358 | 220 879 | 1 740 749 | 22 037 788 |
| Depreciated cost | | | | | |
| as of 30 th June 2005 | 9 789 532 | 9 669 629 | 1 514 918 | 1 726 707 | 22 700 786 |

The Company has used the exception allowed by IFRS 1, which permits organizations to assess fixed assets as of the date of switching over to IFRS at fair value and to use such fair value as the actual value of fixed assets. Management believes that the book value of all fixed assets of the Company is approximately comparable to their fair value.

In 2004 the Company engaged an independent appraiser to confirm the fair value of fixed assets. As of the date of the issue of the enclosed financial statements, the respective work was not completed. Since then, a considerable progress has been made in the assessment work, and the Company expects that it will be completed soon and thus the expectations of management will be ether confirmed or adjusted.

As of 30^{th} June 2005 the depreciated value of fixed assets transferred to the Company under finance leases was 1 001 599 thousand roubles (2004 – 1 075 643 thousand roubles). The Company uses the fixed assets received under contracts of finance lease as a security for respective lease liabilities.

3. Intangible Assets

Intangible assets are capitalized at the acquisition cost.

Received licenses and software are amortized in equal parts over their estimated useful lives determined equal to the term of the license or the license agreement for software. Other intangible assets are amortized in the same way.

Should any signs of a reduction in the value of intangible assets be found, the book value of each asset is assessed and, if a reduction in the value is found, the book value is immediately reduced to the recoverable amount.

| | Goodwill | Licenses | Software | Other | Total |
|----------------------------------|----------|----------|-----------|-------|-----------|
| Depreciated cost as of 31st | | | | | |
| December 2004 | 862 402 | 4 251 | 1 356 178 | 3 088 | 2 225 919 |
| Depreciated cost as of 30th June | | | | | |
| 2005 | 916 171 | 6 952 | 1 342 346 | 3 264 | 2 268 733 |

Goodwill arising on the acquisition of OJSC Lensvyaz and OJSC Svyaz of the Republic of Komi is not amortized. However, it is analyzed for impairment on the annual basis.

4. Subsidiaries

The presented consolidated financial statements include the assets, liabilities and results of the operation of the Company and its subsidiaries listed below:

| Name | Principal activity | Interest/percentage of voting shares | | |
|-----------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|
| | | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 | |
| AMT LLC | Consulting services | 100% | 100% | |
| Artelecom Service LLC | Company's assets leasing | 77% | 77% | |
| Novgorod Datacom LLC | Communication services | 100 % | - | |
| Kolatelecom CJSC | Communication services | 50% | 50% | |
| Parma-Inform LLC | Communication services | 50% | 50% | |

| IK Svyaz CJSC | Consulting services | 100% | 100% |
|----------------------|------------------------|-------|------|
| Novgorod Datacom LLC | Communication services | 100 % | 52% |

All the above companies are Russian legal entities registered in accordance with Russian legislation and have the same fiscal year as the Company.

In March 2005, in compliance with the decision of the Board of Directors dated 21st January 2005, the Company acquired the 100% share in Novgorod Datacom LLC and the remaining 48% % share in Novgorod Deitacom LLC (see Note 8) for 63 429 thousand roubles and 4 527 thousand roubles respectively.

5. Financial investments in associated companies

The Company's investments in associates as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | | 30 th Jun | 30 th June 2005 | | ber 2004 |
|---------------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------|
| Name of company | Area of activities | Percentage of voting shares | Carrying value | Percentage of voting shares | Carrying value |
| WestBalt Telecom CJSC | Communication services | 28% | 43 650 | 28% | 42 011 |
| Insurance CJSC | Insurance services | 2.50/ | 26055 | 250/ | 26.054 |
| Medexpress | | 35% | 26 855 | 35% | 26 854 |
| Northern Clearing Chamber CJSC | Payment clearing systems | 20% | 16 306 | 20% | 16 181 |
| CJSC Parma Telecom | Construction and maintenance of trunk- | | | | |
| | call offices | 34% | 34 | 34% | 34 |
| Other | | | 23 | | 23 |
| Impairment of financia investments in | | | | | |
| associated companies | - | | (51) | | (57) |
| Total | | | 86 817 | | 85 046 |

All the above companies are Russian legal entities registered in accordance with the legislation of the Russian Federation and have the same fiscal year as the Company.

6. Long-term and short-term investments

The Company's investments as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Long-term investments held-to-maturity | 8 000 | 8 000 |
| Long-term investments available-for-sale | 648 931 | 648 990 |
| Total long-term finance investments | 656 931 | 656 990 |
| Short-term investments held-to-maturity | 10 020 | 7 366 |
| Total investments | 666 951 | 664 356 |

As of 30th June 2005 and 2004 investments held-to-maturity included a long-term deposit of 8,000.

The Company's investments available-for-sale as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | | 31st December 2004 | |
|--|----------------------------|------------|----------------------------|------------|
| Name of company | Ownership interest | Fair value | Owner- ship interest | Fair value |
| OJSC Telecominvest | 15 % | 615 336 | 15 % | 615 336 |
| Other long-term finance investment | | 72 396 | | 87 298 |
| Impairment in value of other finance investments | | (38 801) | | (53 644) |
| Total investments available-for-sale | | 648 931 | | 648 990 |

Other long-term investments comprise minor investments of the Company in the equity of a number of commercial entities incorporated in the Russian Federation.

7. Inventory holdings

The Company's inventory holdings as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|---|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Cable, materials and spare parts for telecommunications equipment | 146 937 | . 134 758 |
| Finished products and goods for sale | 10 805 | 12 272 |
| Tools, working clothes and other inventories | 192 136 | 176 161 |
| Reserve against impairment of inventories | | (290) |
| Total | 349 878 | 322 901 |

As of 30th June 2005 no inventory holdings had been used as a security against credits or loans.

8. Accounts receivable

The Company's accounts receivable as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|--|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Trade receivables – telecommunication services | 2 390 668 | 2 110 063 |
| Trade receivables – other | 134 433 | 93 099 |
| Allowance for doubtful accounts | (1 078 571) | (1 029 883) |
| Total | 1 446 530 | 1 173 279 |

The Company identified trade receivables for telecommunication services by the following major customer groups:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31st December 2004 |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Residential customers | 1 861 434 | 1 672 668 |
| Corporate customers | 366 270 | 320 779 |
| Government customers | 162 964 | 116 616 |
| Total | 2 390 668 | 2 110 063 |

The Company invoices its governmental and corporate customers for telecommunication services in roubles on a monthly basis. For residential customers, the Company sends monthly payment requests and substantially relies upon these customers to remit payments in time based on the received payment requests. All customer payments are based upon tariffs denominated in roubles in effect at the time the calls are made. In limited circumstances, the

Company has billed and collected penalties associated with delays in payment and has been able to obtain certain payments through the Arbitrage Courts.

9. Other current assets

The Company's other current assets as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31st December 2004 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------|
| VAT recoverable | 740 484 | 953 640 |
| Deferred expenses | 172 804 | 160 909 |
| Other payments and current assets | 95 173 | 86 461 |
| Prepayments and advance payments | 123 465 | 70 987 |
| Settlements with personnel | 18 987 | 13 262 |
| Other prepaid taxes | 18 358 | 18 261 |
| Total | 1 169 271 | 1 303 520 |

10. Cash and cash equivalents

The Company's cash and cash equivalents as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31st December 2004 |
|---|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Cash at bank and on hand | 183 231 | 252 993 |
| Short-term deposits with original maturities of three months or | | |
| less | 1 050 087 | 396 |
| Total | 1 233 318 | 253 389 |

As of 30th June 2005 the Company had no restrictions as to spending the money on its bank accounts.

11. Authorized capital

All shares permitted for issue and issued shares listed in the table below have been completely paid for. All issued shares have a par value of 1 rouble per share. Of all the shares issued as of 30th June 2005 ordinary shares made 77.87 % and Class A preferred shares made 22.13 %. The difference between the total par value and the total carrying value reflects the inflation effect for the previous years. The number of stated, but not floated, ordinary and preferred shares is 6 098 (6 098 in 2004) and 32 486 (32 486 in 2004).

The ordinary shareholders are allowed one vote per share. Class A preferred shares entitle their holder to participation in general meetings of the shareholders without the right of vote, except for taking decisions on the issues of reorganization and liquidation of the Company and introducing amendments and additions to the Articles of Association of the Company, that could restrict the rights of the holders of preferred shares. Preferred shares do not entitle their holder to demand redemption of shares or their conversion, however, they entitle the holder to getting a noncumulative dividend to the amount of 10% of the net profit according to the data of the accounts and reports made up in compliance with the Russian accounting rules.

Thus, holders of preferred shares participate in profits on a par with holders of ordinary shares, therefore preferred shares are taken into account for the purposes of calculating profit per share. When the Company does not pay dividends or when the Company has not received profit after a year's operation, holders of preferred shares get the right of vote in respect of all issues included in the terms of reference of the general meeting of the shareholders.

The par value of all issued ordinary and preferred shares as of 30th June 2005 did not change as compared to the year 2004 and is 881 045 thousand roubles and 250 369 thousand roubles respectively.

12. Earnings (loss) per share

Earnings per share are calculated by dividing the net income attributable to ordinary shareholders by the weighted average number of ordinary shares circulating during the reporting period, except for the weighted average number of ordinary shares acquired by the Company and reflected as redeemed own shares.

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|--|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Weighted average number of issued preferred shares (thousands) | 250 369 | 214 076 |
| Weighted average number of issued ordinary shares (thousands) | 881 045 | 772 100 |
| Adjustment by the weighted average number of redeemed own shares (thousands) | (3 104) | (3 894) |
| Weighted average number of issued ordinary and preferred shares (thousands) | 1 128 310 | 982 282 |
| Net income | 1 024 742 | 705 318 |
| Earnings per share (basic/diluted) | 0.91 | 0.72 |

There are no diluted instruments, therefore, the basic earnings per share are equal to the diluted earnings per share.

13. Debts under credits and loans

Short-term debts

The Company's short-term debts as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 in respect of credits and loans comprised the following:

| | Interest rate (%): | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|--|--------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Bank loans (roubles) | 9.5 – 15% | 563 674 | 113 411 |
| Vendor financing (US Dollars) | 8 – 10% | 260 | 17 785 |
| Interest payable under bank loans, bonds in roubles, promissory notes and credits of vendors | | 82 508 | 9 399 |
| Total short-term borrowings | | 646 442 | 140 595 |

Long-term debts

The Company's long-term debts as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 in respect of credits and loans comprised the following:

| | Interest rate | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|----------------------|---------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Bank loans (roubles) | 9.7 – 13.5% | 1 929 684 | 2 962 900 |
| Bank loans (euros) | 3 – 8.5% | 184 096 | 194 753 |
| Total bank loans | | 2 113 780 | 3 157 653 |
| Bonds (roubles) | | 4 451 166 | 1 500 288 |

| | 4 691 068 | 3 180 399 |
|----------|----------------------------------|--|
| | (2 588 320) | (2 465 835) |
| | 1/000 | 15 881 |
| | | 15 881 |
| | 7 149 | 9 136 |
| | 10 517 | 6 745 |
| | 51 169 | 54 337 |
| | 25 211 | 24 688 |
| 6 – 8.5% | 20 568 | 28 000 |
| | 5 390 | 1 649 |
| | 645 607 | 918 075 |
| 6.5 - 9% | 155 098 | 214 360 |
| | 489 663 | 701 608 |
| | 846 | 2 107 |
| | 6.5 - 9% 6.5 - 9% 6.5 - 9% | 6.5 - 9% 155 098 645 607 5 390 6 - 8.5% 20 568 25 211 51 169 10 517 7 149 17 666 (2 588 320) |

Long-term borrowings include the debt in respect of interest to the amount of 5,243 thousand roubles as of 30th June 2005 (7 637 in 2004). As repayment of the said debt in respect of interest is not expected before the year 2006, it has been classified as a long-term debt.

14. Accounts payable and accrued liabilities

The Company's accounts payable and other current liabilities as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31st December 2004 |
|---|----------------------------|--------------------|
| Wages and reimbursement payable | 510 179 | 744 359 |
| Settlements with vendors and contractors for deliveries of equipment and capital construction | 174 583 | 676 454 |
| Subscribers' advances | 277 969 | 351 472 |
| Trade accounts payable | 310 114 | 238 576 |
| Other accounts payable | 82 762 | 48 622 |
| Total | 1 355 607 | 2 059 483 |

Other accounts payable include accounts payable to the Nonprofit partnership, for voluntary property insurance and trade union dues.

15. Taxes payable and social security payable

The Company's short-term taxes payable as of 30th June 2005 and 2004 comprised the following:

| | 30 th June 2005 | 31 st December 2004 |
|-------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Value added tax | 490 744 | 496 015 |
| Single social tax | 147 631 | 199 154 |
| Property tax | 86 059 | 85 930 |

| Tax on income of individuals | 41 545 | 23 698 |
|------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Other taxes | 6 254 | 4 895 |
| Total | 772 233 | 809 692 |

Value added tax of 354 009 thousand roubles (352 060 thousand roubles in 2004) is payable to tax authorities only after payment is received from buyers or after the respective accounts receivable are written off.

16. Income

| | | 2004 |
|---|------------------|------------|
| By types of income | 6 months of 2005 | |
| Income from local phone calls | 3 887 990 | 5 582 458 |
| Long-distance phone calls | 2 587 801 | 4 184 802 |
| International phone calls | 761 337 | 1 368 668 |
| Services to Russian telecommunication operators | 515 813 | 809 428 |
| Other communication services | 496 918 | 785 350 |
| New services | 493 405 | 681 103 |
| Installation and connection fee | 353 251 | 630 953 |
| Broadcasting and telecasting | 162 528 | 231 463 |
| Data transmission services and telematic services | 117 527 | 197 976 |
| Provision of telephone channels for use | 115 975 | 110 860 |
| Document telecommunication | 27 334 | 58 136 |
| Other services | 393 027 | 766 203 |
| Total | 9 912 906 | 15 407 400 |

The Company recorded realization by the following basic groups of clients:

| | | 2004 |
|------------------------------|------------------|------------|
| By groups of clients | 6 months of 2005 | |
| Residential customers | 5 911 979 | 8 032 289 |
| Corporate customers | 3 191 458 | 5 258 248 |
| Government customers | 808 721 | 1 112 094 |
| Budget – tariff compensation | 748 | 1 004 769 |
| Total | 9 912 906 | 15 407 400 |

17. Other operating expenses, net

| 6 months of 2005 | 2004 |
|------------------|--|
| | |
| 25 971 | 90 022 |
| 62 020 | 88 587 |
| 12 648 | 60 600 |
| 45 931 | 55 836 |
| 16 629 | 33 317 |
| 19 934 | 32 786 |
| 21 151 | 30 407 |
| | (115 103) |
| | 59 599 25 971 62 020 12 648 45 931 16 629 19 934 |

| Penalty | (1 385) | (19 084) |
|--|---------|-----------|
| Profit from writing off accounts payable upon expiry of the period of limitation of the statement of claim | (3 248) | (4 547) |
| General and administrative expenses | 576 758 | 909 359 |
| Other losses, net | 120 246 | 79 542 |
| Total | 956 254 | 1 369 764 |

18. Interest expenses, net

| | | 2004 |
|--|------------------|-----------|
| | 6 months of 2005 | |
| Interest income | (49 369) | (12 954) |
| Interest expenses | 483 054 | 320 895 |
| Interest expenses accrued under finance leases | 73 379 | 136 784 |
| Less: Capitalized interest | (142 670) | (118 928) |
| Total | 364 394 | 325 797 |